

In the
Indiana Supreme Court



IN THE MATTER OF)

THE APPOINTMENT OF A)

JUDGE PRO TEMPORE IN)

LAKE SUPERIOR COURT NO. 4)

Case No. 45S00-1309-MS-601

ORDER TERMINATING APPOINTMENT OF JUDGE PRO TEMPORE AND
APPOINTING SUCCESSOR JUDGE PRO TEMPORE

The Court is saddened to learn of the death of the Honorable Gerald N. Svetanoff. Previously, on September 17, 2013, at the request of Judge Svetanoff, this Court appointed the Honorable E. Duane Daugherty to serve as Judge *Pro Tempore* in the Lake Superior Court No. 4. Judge Daugherty has notified the Court that he will be unavailable to continue serving as Judge *Pro Tempore* after January 24, 2014. In light of Judge Svetanoff's death and Judge *Pro Tempore* Daugherty's unavailability after January 24, 2014, the orderly administration of justice necessitates appointment of a successor Judge *Pro Tempore* to discharge the duties of the office temporarily. This Court has been advised that Senior Judge Steven E. King is willing to serve as Judge *Pro Tempore* in the Lake Superior Court No. 4.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that Senior Judge E. Duane Daugherty's appointment as Judge *Pro Tempore* in the Lake Superior Court No. 4 is terminated effective January 25, 2014.

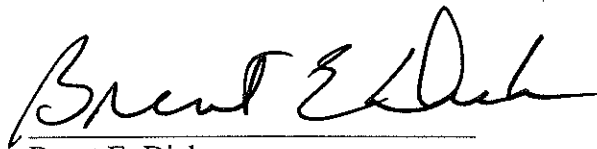
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT Senior Judge Steven E. King is appointed as successor Judge *Pro Tempore* in the Lake Superior Court No. 4 effective January 27, 2014, through February 28, 2014, or further Order of this Court, whichever occurs first. This order shall be sufficient authority for Judge King to continue the employment of court personnel and otherwise discharge the duties of Judge of the Lake Superior Court No. 4. Judge King shall be entitled to compensation for this service, paid by the State of Indiana, computed at the same rate as the regular judge commencing from the effective date of his appointment, pursuant to T.R. 63(D).

The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward a certified copy of this Order to the Clerk of the Lake Circuit and Superior Courts; to the Hon. John R. Pera, Lake Superior Court, 2293 North

Main Street, Crown Point, IN 46307; to Senior Judge E. Duane Daugherty; to Senior Judge Steven E. King; to the Division of State Court Administration, payroll department; and to the Indiana Judicial Center. The Clerk is also directed to post this Order on the Court's website.

The Clerk of the Lake Circuit and Superior Courts is directed to enter this Order into the Record of Judgments and Orders of the court; to post this Order and attachment for examination by the Bar and the general public, and if available, to publish this Order and attachment on the county clerk's website.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana on January 16, 2014.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brent E. Dickson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "B" and a stylized "D".

Brent E. Dickson
Chief Justice of Indiana